

FIG. 1

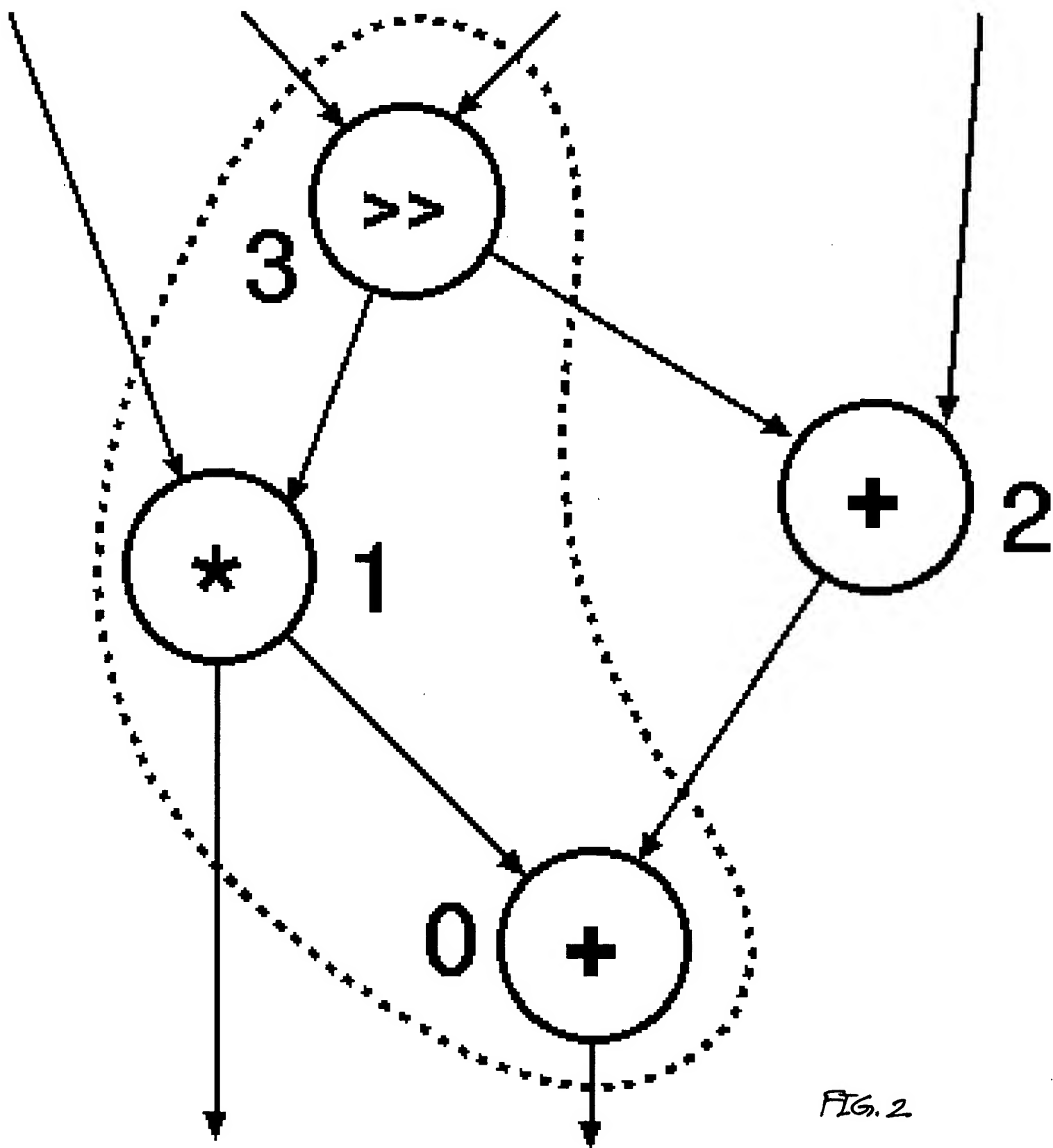


FIG. 2

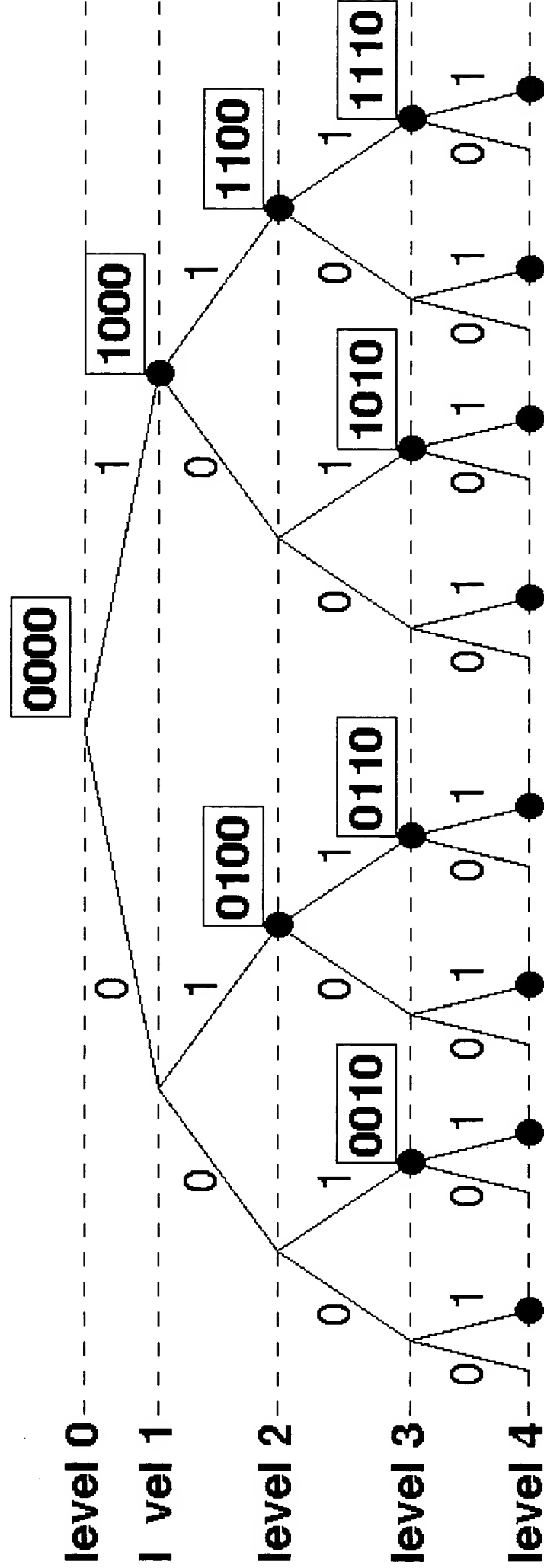


FIG. 3

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identification() {
  for (i = 0; i < NODES; i++) cut[i] = 0;
  topological_sort();
  search(1, 0);
  search(0, 0); }

search(current.choice, current.index) {
  cut[current.index] = current.choice;
  if (current.choice == 1) {
    if (!output.port_check()) return;
    if (!convexity.check()) return;
    if (input.port_check()) {
      calculate_speedup();
      update_best_solution(); } }
  if ((current.index + 1) == NODES) return;
  current.index = current.index + 1;
  search(1, current.index);
  search(0, current.index); }

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Figure 4: The identification algorithm.

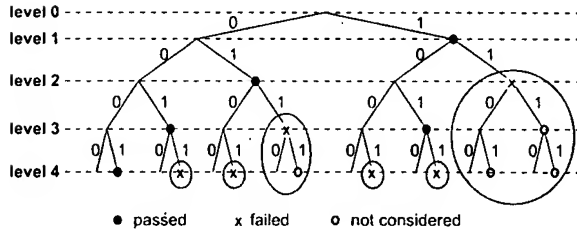


Figure 5: The execution trace of the algorithm for the graph given in Figure 2 and  $N_{out} = 1$ .

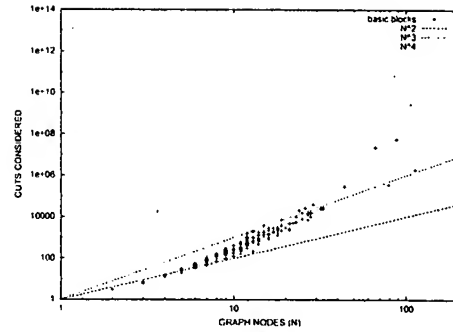


Figure 6: Number of cuts considered by the algorithm with  $N_{out} = 2$  and any  $N_{in}$ .

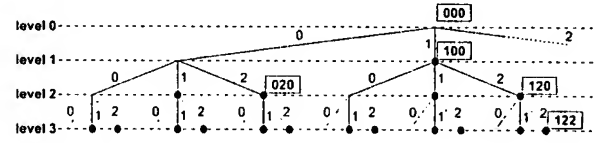
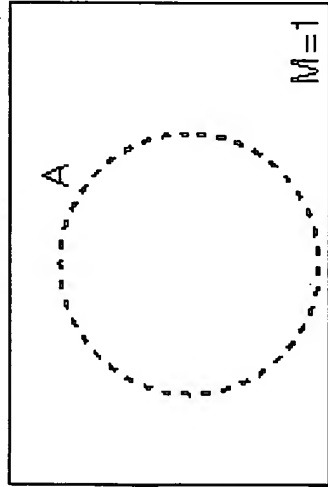
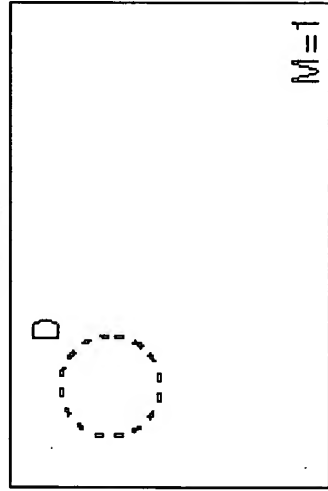


Figure 7: A search tree for two cuts.

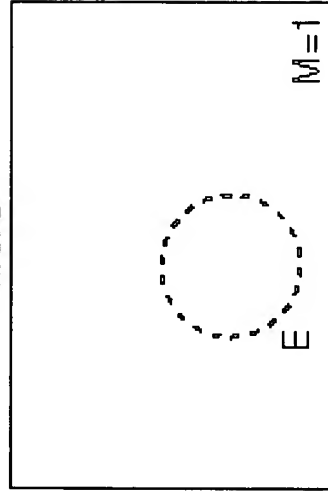
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BB2



BB3



Iteration 1

A&gt;D and A&gt;E

Iteration 2

E&gt;B+C-A and E&gt;D

Iteration 3

F+G-E>B+C-A and  
F+G-E>D

Solution

Fig. 8

